

The Mounties Club Refurbishment, 2012-2014, Paynter Dixon



The Mounties Club is located at Meadows Road, Mount Pritchard. A new main entry is designed with a strong planting scheme respectful of Feng shui principals. Traditional "lucky plants" have been used to add value to this important new upgrade to the Club.

The North West building entry landscape is laid out to address people arriving by vehicle from the main driveway and by foot from the car park areas. The 'Islands of planting strategy' serves to generate interest and a sense of place and journey while maintaining long views for access and safety considerations.

The main entry landing has a two-tone paving pattern shown around the three raised seating/ waiting/ meeting planted islands. The islands have been formed in class 2 in situ concrete planters which provide sitting opportunities for visitors waiting at the main entry, as well as protecting planting from wear and tear.

A new childcare playground is located near the entry and provides activation to the front entry and is designed to provide visual interest in an otherwise utilitarian landscape. Likewise new plantings of large feature Fig trees break up the large expanse of parking and feature points are reinforced by consolidating the existing Washingtonia Palms on site.



